U.S. District Court Eastern District of Arkansas USDC-ARE-0801

Below are questions that have been submitted regarding Solicitation USDC-ARE-0801 for Centrex Telephone Services, along with responses from the Court:

## A. Section C.1 Specification Overview

- 1. Will the Courts please clarify that there are 100 BRI stations on the Centrex with 20 lines supporting in and out bound calling? No.
- 2. Or will the Courts please clarify that there are the 20 analog lines in addition to the 100 stations? Yes and these are minimum line counts. We have approximately 170 BRIs and 40 analog lines.
- 3. Will the Courts please clarify the ratio? Ratio is 1:1. We are using lines, not trunks.
- 4. Will the Courts please clarify the data ratio? We are not requesting data services.
- 5. Will the Courts please provide the current telephone numbers that the Courts are using and would like to keep? Yes, an accurate list will be provided upon contract award. In general, we are looking to port four hundred blocks of numbers, i.e. 501-604-5100 to 501-604-5499.

## B. Section C.2.1 Features

- 1. Will the Courts please confirm that 6-way Conference imperative? Yes, it is essential.
- 2. Will the Courts please clarify if Voice Mail will be provided by the Court's CPE equipment or should it be supplied by the dial tone provider? Voice mail service shall be provided by the successful bidder.

## C. C.3.4 Cabling and Wiring

1. Will the Courts please clarify if the contractor being asked to make station cross connects to actual telephone sets? No, the court will perform that task.

## D. C.5 Court Furnished Support

- 1. Will the Courts please confirm when AT&T can arrange for an on-site tour of the locations? Monday, June 30, 2008, at 9:00 a.m. and Monday, July 7, 2008, at 9:00 a.m.
- E. In the Section L of the solicitation the following Sections are referred to SectionL.11.5 (b), (c)
  - 1. Will the Courts please provide the missing section or verbiage?

    Those references (under L.8.2) should have been Sections 10.3 (a) and (b).
- F. In light of the need for responses to the above questions will the Court consider a 2 to 4 week extension on the solicitation due date? The deadline has been extended to July 21, 2008.